GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA

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PURCHASE OF STATIONERY
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is rampant corruption in the purchase of stationery and other items in the Ministry of Defence and offices under it such as Integrated Defence Services and Chief Administrative Office;

(b) if so, the number of cases that have come to notice of the Government alongwith the action taken thereon;

(c) the steps taken to streamline the system of purchase;

(d) whether Integrated Defence Services sought inquiry into the rate of certain items during the last six months; and

(e) if so, the details thereof alongwith the outcome thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) & (c): Does not arise in view of (a) above.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Does not arise in view of (d) above.